

April 7, 1978

	MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence	
25X1	FROM: Deputy to the DCI for Resource Management	
	SUBJECT: Annual Report	
	1. Action Requested: That you sign the attached letters transmitting copies of the Annual Report to the President and Dr. Brzezinski.	
	2. <u>Background</u> :	
	a. The attached transmittal letters have been reaccomplished according to your instructions.	
	b. Distribution of approximately 300 copies of the codeword version of the Report is just about complete. We will begin distribution of the Secret version next week.	
	c. Your copy of the Report is attached.	
	3. Recommendation: Sign the attached letters,	
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	SUBJECT: Annual Report	
	l. <u>Action Requested</u> : That you sign the attached letters to the President, Dr. Brzezinski, and the Chairmen of the Congressional Oversight Committees transmitting copies of your Annual Report to them. We will distribute the remaining copies directly to the individuals concerned.	
	2. Background:	
	a. We are now in the process of distributing copies of the codeword version of the Annual Report to the above individuals, Cabinet officers, and other senior officials in the Executive Branch and the Congress. A copy is attached for your retention.	
	b. A Secret version of the Annual Report is now nearing completion and will receive much broader distribution throughout the Intelligence Community and the Government.	ţ
	c. I believe it is not feasible to prepare an unclassified version of this particular report. The sanitization, decontrol and declassification actions necessary to produce such a version would leave us with an extremely short and uninformative document having little utility.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	3. Recommendation: That you sign the attached letters and return them to us for dispatch.	•
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Washington, D. C. 20305

12 April 1978

The Honorable Birch Bayh, Chairman Senate Select Committee on Intelligence United States Senate Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Enclosed is a copy of my Annual Report on the Intelligence Community. I believe the report reflects the spirit of cooperation and candor which has characterized my relationship with the Committee in the past year. I hope you will find the report useful as you undertake your new duties as Chairman. We are also publishing a Secret version of this report, and it will be made available to you in the very near future.

The purpose of the report is to set forth an account of my steward-ship of the Intelligence Community during 1977 and to record my observations concerning the tasks and challenges, problems and achievements, and budget thrust associated with the National Foreign Intelligence Program. The report also discusses a number of issues which continue to confront the Intelligence Community. Some of these issues, such as the quality of intelligence, oversight and propriety of intelligence activities, and the relationship between the conduct of intelligence and the rights of individuals, have been raised by the Committee and will be subjects of an ongoing dialoque between us.

Sincerely,

STANSFIELD TURNER

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Washington, D. C. 20505

12 April 1978

The Honorable Edward P. Boland, Chairman House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

With very best wishes.

Enclosed is a copy of my 1977 Annual Report on the Intelligence Community. I believe the report reflects a spirit of cooperation and candor with the Congress and I hope that you will find the document useful as your Committee undertakes its new responsibilities. We are also publishing a Secret version of this report and it will be made available to you in the very near future.

The purpose of the report is to set forth an account of my steward-ship of the Intelligence Community for the period concerned and to record my observations relating to the tasks and challenges, problems and achievements, and budget thrust associated with the National Foreign Intelligence Program.

As noted in earlier correspondence, it continues to be my recommendation that a single annual report, will meet the needs of both the Executive Branch and the Congress. To that end, my staff will be in contact with yours to discuss any needed modifications to the format and content of this report in order to meet your requirements at the end of 1978.

Sincerely,

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Washington, D.C. 20505

12 April 1978

The Honorable Zbigniew Brzezinski Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Zbig:

Enclosed is a copy of my Annual Report on the Intelligence Community, copies of which are also being sent to the President, Cabinet officers, members of the Policy Review and Special Coordination Committees, appropriate Committees of the Congress, and other senior officials in the Government interested in the intelligence enterprise.

I hope you will find the report both interesting and comprehensive. It discusses the ethical questions, achievements, problems and challenges which have occurred in the National Foreign Intelligence Program this past year.

Sincerely,

STANSFIELD TURNER

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12 April 1978

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

I am forwarding herewith a copy of my Annual Report on the Intelligence Community, copies of which are also being sent to appropriate Committees of the Congress, Cabinet officers, and other senior officials in the Government interested in intelligence activities.

The purpose of this report is to set forth an account of the Intelligence Community during 1977 and to record my observations concerning the tasks and challenges which confront the United States foreign intelligence enterprise. I firmly believe that the new authorities you have vested in me under Executive Order 12036 will greatly enhance our intelligence efforts and will allow the Intelligence Community to serve you even better in the coming year.

Respectfully

STANSFIELD TURNER

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April 18, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR:

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Director of Central Intelligence

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FROM:

Deputy to the DCI for Resource Management

SUBJECT:

*Distribution of Secret Version of Annual Report

1. Action Requested: None. For your information only.

2. Background:

- a. At the Staff Meeting on 17 April 1978, you questioned the number of copies of the Secret DCI Annual Report which we intended to distribute, stating that about 250 copies would be adequate. We originally intended to distribute approximately 1550 copies of the Report based on:
 - Last year's distribution list (which had the same number of recipients, only more copies to each);
 - Suggestions from recipient agencies and departments obtained when the Report was being drafted; and
- The belief that a much wider distribution of this version (compared to the CODEWORD version) should be made to assure that middle-level consumers had the opportunity to see the Report.
- We have distributed about 222 copies of the CODEWORD version and the distribution list is at Tab A.
- b. In view of your comments at the Staff Meeting, we have revised the distribution list downward. The distribution list for the Secret version is at Tab B and reflects 39 recipient agencies, departments or activities receiving a total of 676 copies of the Report. Of that total, the IC Registry will

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Tabs A and B

retain 100 copies to respond to subsequent requests. The 70 copies earmarked for Congress will actually be retained by CIA/OLC and a lesser number will probably be distributed. I believe this revised distribution list will continue to meet the above objectives and the needs of our consumers.

3.	Recommendation:	None.	
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